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Special Session 1 (SpS1)

Sharing Knowledge in Atmospheric and Climatic Sciences

The role of libraries, publications, associations and learned societies at the age of internet

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In Meteorology and Climatology, the rapid growth of the internet has prompted fundamental changes in the way publishers, libraries, associations and learned societies operate. New players have been connected motivated by new participative tools (wiki, blog, web2.0) and the use of multimedia.

At the same time, interest in atmospheric and climatic sciences is growing continuously as Society needs to confront new and more varied issues.

New questions have arisen. What access to knowledge? What validation? How to improve dialogue between scientists and citizens on a European scale (and beyond) taking into account language diversity. How to attract new audiences to existing societies? How to store and protect information in the long term?

The aim of this session is to gather speakers facing these challenges:

- **Librarians**
- **Publishers**
- **Associations and learned societies**
- **Users and developers of projects based on internet participative tools**

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